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There are 25,000 Masons in Missouri.

\$500 Reward offered by proprietors of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy for an incurable case.

The total amount of the appropriations passed by the late Congress was \$281,678,085.

Captain John Ericsson, the designer of the Monitor, died at his home in New York recently.

The worst cases of chronic Nasal Catarrh positively and permanently cured by Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy.

Verily this is a world of change. The Republican party has not been in power two weeks, and all that is left of the Cleveland Administration at Washington is the gorgeous mustache of Chief Justice Fuller.

Three Republican Presidents have honored Missouri with a Cabinet appointment. Mr. Lincoln appointed Edward Bates of St. Louis as Attorney General; Mr. Hayes made Carl Schurz his Secretary of the Interior, and now Gen. Harrison has placed the Interior Department in charge of Gen. John W. Noble. Grand old Missouri faces well under Republican administrations.

The United States Supreme Court has decided that a common carrier cannot limit his own liability by any act of his own. The case was one in which a steamship company relied on a saving clause in the bill of lading. If the principle applies to railroad and express companies, as it would appear to do from the word of the judgment, it will completely revolutionize the relations between those bodies and the firms whose goods they haul. A bill of lading without a clause limiting liability would be a curiosity.

A JAPANESE, after twenty years of labor, research and experiment, has patented an invention for walking on the water—a sort of shoe made of wood, of paper, of iron and of gum elastic. Its shape is elliptical, and is joined with a belt of salvage and gutta percha tubes. It is not stated what makes the locomotion, but it claims to go nearly a league an hour. The whole thing does not weigh more than two and a half pounds, and it allows the voyager to carry with him about twenty-five pounds of baggage.

There is a great amount of genuine kindness in the world. We see it in some form nearly every day of our lives. It is not where the sun shines the brightest and all is well, but in the darkest, the darkness, the hour of trial. Men and women are often called hard, grasping and selfish, but underneath this crust there is a fountain of kindness. We not only believe it but we know it. For many years we have seen men and women put to the test and the amount of kindness exhibited has convinced us beyond a peradventure that the world is full of kindness. Kindness keeps the eyes of the weather open during the long vigils of the night. Kindness smooths the pillow for the tired head and bathes the weary limbs. Kindness harvests in the seed and gathers the harvest for the sick neighbor. Kindness makes a heaven. Kindness lightens labor and cheers many a weary heart.

The Fifteenth Congress, which expired by constitutional limitation on March 4, was one of the most remarkable in the history of the country. Its first session began the first Monday in December, 1887, and continued practically until October 20, 1888. In December the second session began, ending March 4. It has been in session longer than any previous Congress. During the two sessions, 12,659 bills and 28 joint resolutions were introduced in the House, while 3,298 bills and 111 resolutions were introduced in the Senate. Of all these bills and resolutions, 1,791 became laws; of which number, 1,190 originated in the House, and 601 in the Senate. The most important bill introduced during the two sessions was the Mills tariff bill. Discussion of this measure was what prolonged the first session. Three hundred and thirty-three bills which passed the House failed in the Senate while 648 bills, after passing the Senate failed through one cause or another to reach the President.

Two last decisions of the state supreme court in regard to the A. O. U. W. and other benevolent organizations in which they are rated as "charity" institutions, and not subject to taxation will prove a grand benefit to the order in this state. Therefore these and other similar societies have been looked upon as "business enterprises," and were taxed to the extent of a round sum every year. The heads of the order thought this was wrong, and collected, refusing to longer pay this tax. The case was taken from court to court, and finally a few days ago got through the state supreme court and now this tax will be saved and the money thus paid into the state treasury will remain in the pockets of the members of the order, and thus reducing the cost of insurance to these charity associations. The supreme court declaring them. The states of Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa have never assessed a tax and the expense of membership is somewhat lower than it is here. This decision is worth \$100,000 members to the order in the state of Missouri within the next year.

I haven't the courage to die, sir. Hardly the courage to live. Can't drink enough to forget, sir.

And a Christian enough to forgive. This was the wall of a man who had endured the tortures of liver complaint, and dyspepsia for years, and he might have endured them for life, had he not heard that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery would make him a well man. He gave it a trial and was cured. Once he was a hollow-eyed, emaciated, and slowly tottering toward the tomb; but now he is vigorous, robust and healthy. There is nothing that can compare with the "Discovery" as a curative agent for sour stomach, constipation, impure blood, and biliousness.

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Washington Letter.

(From our regular correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, March 18, 1889.

The President and his cabinet have spent the first week of their administration in receiving congratulations and applications for office. Both of these are all right, when moderately indulged in at the proper time and place, but as shown here since inauguration day, they are all wrong, so far as the President is concerned.

One man cannot stand everything, and Gen. Harrison plainly shows the effect of his first week in the White House; his right arm is lamed so badly that he can scarcely use it at all, and his face has the pallor of death. He told a friend yesterday that he had not had ten minutes to himself since he came into the White House. Each day so far has been but a repetition of the one before. Crowds down in the east room to shake hands with the President, and up stairs in the executive offices swarms of Senators and Members pushing the chains of some of their constituents for office.

It seems as though every state in the Union has more than enough candidates to fill every prominent office under the government. It is even worse than it was four years ago. Of course there will be many and bitter disappointments as soon as the plans are given out, but all well wishers of the President earnestly desire that the prominent position be filled at the earliest possible moment, for no personal disappointments can offset the country as the death of a popular President would, and that Gen. Harrison's health is now in danger is plain to be seen.

The extra session of the Senate has so far done nothing except confirm the members of the cabinet, but they are likely to be longer this week as the announcement has been made, unofficially, that all the nominations of the assistant cabinet officials would be sent in, and Postmaster General Wanamaker says he expects to select names for all the vacancies in presidential portfolios including all the Cleveland nominations which failed to be confirmed by the Senate.

Corporal Tanner is thought to have the best chance, as things stand now, to be appointed commissioner of pensions. He lost both legs in the late war, and is very popular with G. A. R. men. The other candidates have by no means given up the fight, nor are they likely to do so until the appointment is officially made.

The President announced early in the week that he would recognize no factions, in any state and that in order to get applications considered it would be necessary to get the endorsement of the solid state delegations. This action has been generally commended as having a tendency to promote harmony.

Postmaster General Wanamaker has bought ex-Secretary Whitney's house here, and proposes to go to housekeeping at once. Secretary Blaine's house, which he recently leased, will not be ready for occupancy before fall, and so he and his family will remain at the Normandy hotel until that time. Secretary Windom is the owner of an elegant residence in this city but it is under lease at present, so that he is compelled to look for another place. Secretary Tracy's family will not come here permanently until fall, though they are expected on a visit now. Secretary Tracy's family will also visit until fall before taking up their abode in Washington. Secretary Noble's wife is in bad health at present and they have not decided yet what they will do. Secretary Miller's family is here and lively engaged in house hunting. Secretary Pratt left home in such a hurry that he did not bring his family with him, but expects it in a few days. So after reading of the unsettled condition of the cabinet ladies it will be readily understood that the social life of the administration will not begin until next winter.

Only two cabinet meetings have yet been held, both of short duration. The first has been so great that little or no business has been transacted by the new officials. But this week it is thought that some news will be devised whereby, at least a portion of the time can be given to the work of the departments.

Ex-Senator Platt saw the President by appointment on Saturday and it is generally understood that the New York appointments were discussed. Rumor says Mr. Platt will either take the position of collector of the port himself or name the man who does, and that Ex-Senator Warner Miller had agreed to become assistant Secretary of the treasury.

Capt. Merrell, of Chicago, is supposed to be a few lengths ahead in the race for the position of public printer. The principal reason for this belief is that when Mr. Bonnell was appointed, Gen. Harrison strongly urged the appointment of Capt. Merrell, who was in his old regiment. There is also a rumor, however, that Capt. Merrell may be made superintendent of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, thus leaving the other office open to an army of applicants. Too numerous to mention.

Warner's Log Cabin Remedies—old-fashioned, simple compounds, used in 15 days of our early forefathers, are "old times" but still reliable. They comprise Warner's Log Cabin Sarsaparilla, "Hops and Biscuit Remedy," "Cough and Consumption Remedy," "Hair Tonic," "Extract" for External and Internal Use, "Painkiller," "Dose Cream," for Catarrh and "Liver Pills." They are put up by H. H. Warner & Co., proprietors of Warner's Log Cabin Remedies, and promise to equal the standard value of those great preparations. All druggists keep them.

A swarm of bad blood has come between Russia and France. Atchinnoff, a religious enthusiast of Russia, wanted to enter Abyssinia through territory over which France asserts a protectorate. The mission of Atchinnoff was positively that of a religious missionary of the Greek church but he had a military company of 145 strongly armed men with him. France could not permit such an invasion and when he seized a post and defied the French authorities they shelled him into a surrender. The Russian government says that Atchinnoff acted wholly without authority, but Madame Novikoff writes that there is in St. Petersburg an angry feeling against France because of the incident.

William A. Brewster, a well-known bird lover, has been captured, with his head, and has been taken to the city of St. Joseph, Mo. He was taken there by a party of hunters, and is now in the hands of the city authorities.

For sale by Hilde & Peltz, Druggists, St. Joseph, Mo.

A Pointer.

As every reader of this paper knows, it has become one of the fine arts to write an effective and interesting advertisement especially in medicine.

Now it seems to us that if, for instance, the world-wide advertisers of Warner's Safe Remedies would adopt a style whereby they could work in a startling way of say—wolves, we believe the sales of their medicines could be still more largely increased. We give them the benefit of the idea at any event. Let it commence like this:

Pratter! Pratter! Pratter!

There it is again. It is not fifty yards from where we last halted. The steps are too light for those of an Indian. Aggravated would rush upon its victim with a roar of defiance and anger. A panting would hurt himself through thirty feet of space, with a scream to unnerve the hardest hunter. "Wolves," whispers the hunter, as a howl suddenly bursts upon his ear.

Wolves the gaunt grizzled wolves of the foot-hills—thin and poor and hungry and savage—the legs tireless—the mouth full of teeth which can crack the shoulder-bone of a buffalo. He can see their dark forms flitting from point to point—the patter of their feet upon the parched grass proves that he is surrounded—yet no more in danger, and no more effectively surrounded than he who trifles with the symptoms of kidney disease. And you, reader, know whether or not you are a victim to its insidious encroachment. If your back aches, if your eyesight is failing, if your appetite is failing, if your urine is not clear and of a pale straw color, do not hesitate on the nearest haven of safety, and resort to the only known cure for kidney and liver troubles—Warner's Safe Cure. It is a duty you owe, not only to yourself but to your family and society at large.

Delays are dangerous.

Had the traveler not been overtaken at night and unarmed, the wolves would have had no terrors for him. We warn you just now, in broad daylight, before the voices of disease snarl their poisonous fangs deeply into your flesh and the night of death settles down upon you, to stop your cure to prophylaxis and lagging, and try to safety through the means we have pointed out.

Good Farms for Sale Cheap!

Desires of good land all about St. Joseph, Mo. 100 acres, 200 acres, 300 acres, 400 acres, 500 acres, 600 acres, 700 acres, 800 acres, 900 acres, 1000 acres, 1100 acres, 1200 acres, 1300 acres, 1400 acres, 1500 acres, 1600 acres, 1700 acres, 1800 acres, 1900 acres, 2000 acres, 2100 acres, 2200 acres, 2300 acres, 2400 acres, 2500 acres, 2600 acres, 2700 acres, 2800 acres, 2900 acres, 3000 acres, 3100 acres, 3200 acres, 3300 acres, 3400 acres, 3500 acres, 3600 acres, 3700 acres, 3800 acres, 3900 acres, 4000 acres, 4100 acres, 4200 acres, 4300 acres, 4400 acres, 4500 acres, 4600 acres, 4700 acres, 4800 acres, 4900 acres, 5000 acres, 5100 acres, 5200 acres, 5300 acres, 5400 acres, 5500 acres, 5600 acres, 5700 acres, 5800 acres, 5900 acres, 6000 acres, 6100 acres, 6200 acres, 6300 acres, 6400 acres, 6500 acres, 6600 acres, 6700 acres, 6800 acres, 6900 acres, 7000 acres, 7100 acres, 7200 acres, 7300 acres, 7400 acres, 7500 acres, 7600 acres, 7700 acres, 7800 acres, 7900 acres, 8000 acres, 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